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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Akito SATO

Attorney Docket No.: MES1P060

Application No.: 10/029,233

Examiner: Nguyen, Lamson D.

Filed: December 21, 2001

Group: 2861

Title: PRINTING USING A PRINT HEAD WITH  
STAGGERED NOZZLE  
ARRANGEMENTS

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 7, 2003, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, Group I, claims 1-23 to prosecute in the above-identified patent application.

Enclosed is check no. 7169 for a 1-month extension of time. If any additional fees are due in connection with the filing this Response to Restriction Requirement, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account 500388 (Order No. MES1P060).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a 1 month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ Enclosed is our Check No. 7169 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. MES1P060).

Respectfully submitted,

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